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JUNE 8th, 1888. my26 J. H. BAKER.

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TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR A HOUSE for Dr. Fagan at New Westminster. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned. Tenders to be delivered at Westminster by the 16th instant.
FISHER & WILSON,
jun7 Architects.

$10 REWARD!

ON THURSDAY MORNING LAST—A Gunny Sack, containing a set of racing boots for trotting horse and a small brush, were lost or taken from Bowman's stable by mistake. The finder will receive the above reward by leaving the same at Bowman's stable. j5-6t

FOUND—A HORSE—on a ledge of rocks near Cadboro' Bay. Anyone owning same can have it by paying expenses. If not claimed in one week from date it will be sold. Apply this office. jun7-5t

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Grand -:- Concert!

THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 14th,
UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF
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And Leading Amateurs.
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Friday Evening, June 15, 1888.
GRAND PRESENTATION
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AUGMENTED BY LOCAL TALENT,
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CELEBRATION!

The St. George's Society
PIC-NIC
—AND—
EXCURSION
—TO—
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—BY—
E. & N. RAILWAY,
—ON—
Monday, July 2nd, 1888.

Return Tickets, - 75 cents.
Children under 12, 50 "

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A -:- STRAWBERRY -:- SOCIAL
Will be held by the Young Ladies of the First Presbyterian Church,
On Monday Evening, the 18th inst.
An entertainment will also be given for which a choice programme has been prepared.
Doors open at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION, - - - - 25 CENTS.
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-:- A CALICO BALL -:-
Will be given at the Hall of this Society,
ON THURSDAY, JUNE 14th.
TICKETS admitting Gentleman and Lady, $2.00; Single Ladies' Ticket, 50 cents.
The Ladies of Saanich will furnish the Supper and Ice Cream. my26-dw

Business Changes.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO ANnounce to his friends and customers that he has sold his flour, feed, grain and commission business to Messrs. Brackman & Ker, of this city, and takes the opportunity of returning thanks to his many generous patrons for favors in the past, and solicits a continuance of the same to his successors in the future.
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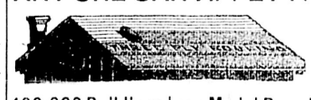

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R. H. HALL,
Naas River, B. C., 25th May, 1888. jun14-2m

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WEDNESDAY—The New Home Comedy-Drama, By CAL. WALLACE, Esq., entitled
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GEORGE HOEY'S Successful Comedy, entitled
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Under the Management of JOHN H. ROBB.
New Music! New Songs! New Recitations!
Admission, $1.00 and 50c.
Reserved Seats now on sale at M. W. Waitt's Bookstore. jun14

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AUCTIONEERS.
Residential
PROPERTY
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We have received instructions from E. C NEUFELDER, ESQ., to sell by
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At our Salesroom, Wharf Street, at 12 o'clock, M.,
HIS EXCELLENT
Family Residence!
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THE PARLOR & DINING-ROOM
are furnished with five and four light gas chandeliers with colored globes of latest pattern, and suitable gas fittings are placed in other rooms. There are five electric bells, and the Bath-room is furnished with every convenience, having hot and cold water, wardrobes and marble-top wash-stands and a large bath-tub.
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The Conservatory off the Dining-room faces the south, and is entered through a beautifully designed ornamental window.
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is furnished with meat safe, shelving, flour bins just off the kitchen which has cupboards, sink, plate drainers, together with a Model Range, having a plate warmer, with water attachments, and a sixty gallon copper boiler. There is a covered porch connecting with the Laundry which has stationary wash-tubs, and water connection; on either side being suitable rooms for stables.
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AUCTIONEERS,
Have received instructions from MESSRS. JAY & Co. to sell by
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At their Salesroom, Wharf Street,
On Friday Next, June 15th,
AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
A Choice Collection of
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In lots of 1 doz., for Bedding or Potting.
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Geraniums, Fuschias, Heliotropes,
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Palms, etc.,
All in healthy condition.
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NOTICE.
No Steamer will leave for San Francisco on Saturday next.
The S. S. "MEXICO" will leave **on Monday, 18th instant**, after transferring her upward Freight to Steamer "Umatilla."
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Victoria, 12th June, 1888. Agents.
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Our Specific No. 23 permanently restores GENERAL DEBILITY, &c., when other treatment fails. Send 6 cents in stamps for our TREATISE and DIRECTIONS for home cure. TORONTO MEDICINE Co., 343 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, Ont. jun13-d-w-12m

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The regular weekly meeting of the board of aldermen was held last evening in the city hall. Present—Mayor Grant and Alds. Penwill, Harris, Braden, Styles, Wilson, Coughlan, Powell and Kelly.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From J. P. Elford, asking for the use of a portion of Johnson street for building purposes; granted.

From W. J. Macdonald, calling attention to the pipe for the supply of water to the Reed estate, which is not efficient; referred to the water committee with power to act.

From J. P. Burgess, asking permission to remove a few planks from the sidewalk opposite Nos. 32, 34, 36, Humboldt street, while repairing a sewer; granted.

From six ratepayers, asking that a water pipe be laid on Discovery street, between Blanchard and Douglas streets; referred to the water committee with power to act.

From Thos. Robb, tendering his resignation as police constable; referred to the police committee with power to act.

From Thos. Deasy, informing the boarp and fire wardens that F. H. Allatt had been absent during several fires; referred to the fire wardens with power to act.

From eleven residents, calling attention to an open drain running on the south side of Fort street from Moss street; referred to the street committee to report.

From S. Schoen, applying for permission to place hitching posts on Douglas and Discovery streets; granted, under supervision of city surveyor.

From Mr. Trimmen, presenting a bill for $55.50 for plans for band stand and city hall improvements; referred to the finance committee to be paid if found correct.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Ald. Penwill gave notice that he will move at the next meeting of the board an amendment to By-Law No. 153, entitled, "Bank Credit By-Law, 1888," by striking out in section 1 the figures $30,000, and inserting in lieu thereof, the figures $45,000.

REPORTS.

The water committee reported that many people were in the habit of using water for irrigation purposes without permission, and recommending that after July 1st any person using water for that purpose, be charged full irrigation rates; adopted.

STREET PAVING.

The mayor drew attention to a bituminous rock, which is used for paving streets. He had seen several gentlemen from San Francisco who represented that it was the best thing ever adopted. No dust arose from it and the rock never chipped. It was far ahead of asphaltum, because it did not become soft with heat.

ALD. BRADEN.

Ald. Powell moved, seconded by Ald. Coughlan, that in view of Ald. Braden having met with a painful accident since the last meeting, that the board extend their sympathy to the afflicted alderman and his family. Carried.

AUDIT.

Ald. Penwill asked that a copy of the resolution passed at the last meeting be handed to the auditors.

Ald. Powell asked if it was necessary to notify Messrs. Bales and Sargison that they had been appointed.

The Mayor said that they would be notified to-day.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Mayor drew to the attention of the Board to the horrible state of Johnson street ravine and asked that the corporation take the matter up, as several cases of sickness were reported. He did not mean the Board, but the ratepayers, as the former had endeavored to do their part to have that matter attended to.

Ald. Vigelius said that some mischievous people had put rocks in the hydrants, and moved that a sum of $25 be offered as a reward to anyone informing on such people.

Ald. Coughlan said he thought that children were to blame.

Ald. Powell said he had been informed by the sanitary officer that he was not allowed to flush the gutters. He hoped some steps would be taken in this matter.

Ald. Harris moved that the council adjourn until Monday night and then take up the financial question and the loan by-law; carried.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

W. B. Wilson, the fortunate Vancouver speculator, is reported to have invested $40,000 in Seattle property.

It is stated that Lizzie Rogers was married on Saturday night. She was the girl arrested in No. 10 Broad street.

Paine's racing shell arrived on the Yosemite last evening. The boat is a beauty, and was built by Warm Bros., Toronto.

The Rithet brought the delayed mails from Westminster yesterday afternoon, thus giving them several hours sooner to the public.

There was less spring salmon put up on the Fraser this year than ever before. The run on the Columbia is reported as getting better.

It was reported yesterday afternoon that a sail boat had gone down off the outer wharf and one man drowned, but this was not confirmed.

The cantata of "Esther" was presented at Wellington last night to a bumper house. A despatch says that great enthusiasm was manifested by the audience.

Two sacks of Queen Charlotte anthracite coal arrived at Langley & Co.'s store yesterday. It is claimed that the coal is superior to the Pennsylvania anthracite.

"What's the lowest thing you ever heard of?" asked one man of another on the street yesterday. "Well, the lowest thing I know of at present is Gilmore's prices for clothing."

An injunction will be applied for at the Supreme Court to-day by a citizen dissatisfied with the amount of water supplied him, restraining the council from supplying parties outside the city limits.

Constables have gone into the interior of the Skeena region to arrest the two Indians accused of shooting another Indian with intent to kill. The latter was seriously wounded. The wounded Indian is said to have killed a relative of the two men, and a reprisal was made in consequence.

Mr. Gardner has sent a letter to this office, denying that he was late at the Sound steamer, as claimed in a three-line item in Tuesday's COLONIST. The letter is couched in language that prevents its publication. If respectful, instead of impertinent, language had been used, the letter would have been published. The gentleman who gave information to the reporter of the fact of Mr. Gardner's dilatoriness at the steamer is willing to stand by his statement.

B. H. BURGESS & Co. are now prepared to accommodate patrons with Ice Cream, Soda Waters, Lemonade, etc., at their parlors, *Standard* building. 3m *

CABLE NEWS.

Several Members of the National League Arrested.

Lord Douglas Apologises and Is Released from Gaol—Steamer Reported Lost—The Government Defeated on the Jennings Motion.

Parliamentary Notes.

LONDON, June 13.—It is ascertained that 21 Tories voted last night in opposition to the government on the resolution directed against the extravagance of the admiralty office.

Mr. Joseph Chamberlain has written to the electors of Ayr parliamentary district, reminding them that Mr. Gladstone's home rule aspirations are not dead.

Chamberlain's Latest.

Joseph Chamberlain's letter denying the statements made by Mr. Gladstone in his manifesto to the Ayr electors, awakened more interest than usually attaches to the luminations of the Birmingham radical leader. He declares he always has been ready to concede to Ireland in principle the same measure of local government enjoyed by England and Scotland, but the settlement of the land question must of necessity precede it. As the solution of that most difficult problem has always been thrust forward as the condition of Chamberlain's support of any measure of self-government for Ireland, however, the gentleman's sincerity in the present instance is regarded as a matter of grave doubt. He refers to the suggestions contained in articles recently published in the Birmingham *Post*, which proposals Mr. Gladstone's followers have generally dubbed "moonshine," and argues that the original home rule scheme with which he was at the time of its issuance and until its alteration in full accord, is the only true liberal platform. While Chamberlain's letter has set a great many persons talking and a few thinking, it is not likely that any of them will arrive at a degree of conviction resulting in conversion to his theory.

The Jennings Motion.

The *Standard* and *St. James Gazette* strongly condemn the government for the bungling management which permitted their defeat in the division on the Jennings motion last night. Jennings, who has hitherto been regarded merely as an able writer and able party member in the respect of offering timely advice and promoting organization, has suddenly sprung into prominence as an orator by the excellent speech delivered in support of his motion. Jennings will be remembered as having served for several years as editor-in-chief of the New York *Times*.

The Emperor's Health.

Telegrams received from Berlin to-day concerning the condition of Emperor Frederick manifestly come from various sources, since they have been exceedingly conflicting, and in some cases expressing diametrically opposite views. Even telegrams signed by Dr. Mackenzie, or at least purporting to emanate from him, have been extremely misleading and palpably untrue. The *Daily News* analysis of dispatches impels the conclusion that the present crisis in the Emperor's condition is merely a repetition of the last one, and obviously magnified for the purpose of producing certain effect.

The Shah of Persia and England.

The Shah of Persia, desiring to negotiate a loan from British capitalists, and being rather doubtful about getting it, seizes an opportunity to assert his friendly feelings toward the conquerers of his eastern neighbor. There is general dislike to Persia in England, even those having only a general knowledge of the nation regarding her as a wily, weak and intriguing power, subservient to Russia and encroaching towards India. English officials stationed in the latter country have a more confirmed distrust of Persia and are conscious that any friendly attitude on her part is but the precursor of some request. Still she might be useful to England, not by offering active resistance in case of a Russian movement southward, but by withholding supplies and refusing to assist the Czar's troops in crossing her territory. The Shah has asked for the attachment of some competent English officers to organize and discipline his troops, and while they could not make heroes of the motley hordes constituting the army of the "King of Kings," ill clad, poorly fed and unpaid as they are, they might materially assist England in a political point of view. Early in the century many English officers served in the Persian army, but the practice was discontinued on account of the jealousy of some of the officials of the Eastern power. His Majesty has also naval ambition, and it is possible some of the iron-clads England will be glad to get rid of may be soon seen on the Persian Gulf under the guidance of officers seeking in a foreign service advancement they have wearied of obtaining in their own. The influence which England will thus obtain in Persia will be useful in quelling rumors prevalent among the natives of India to the effect that the Shah and Czar have a common policy and hostility towards England, and that the former is bound to join the Russian monarch when the hour for the inevitable conflict arrives. With English officers in acknowledged good form at the court of Teheran, it would soon become known such reports were false and the native idea of the Czar's coming omnipotence in Oriental affairs would receive at least a temporary check. In view of the steady progress made by the Russians in Asia the English at home have called for a display of some activity in India and a cessation of the policy of standing on their own ground and inviting attack by a stupid immovability, and even this little diversion in the Shah's domain will be hailed as a movement in the right direction.

The Ascott Races.

The race for the Ascott Derby stakes was won to-day by Prince Solthkoff's bay horse Sheen; Lord Colthrope's chestnut filly, Rama, second; Sir R. Jardine's bay colt, Strovar, third. The race for the Fernhill stakes was won by Lord Londonderry's three-year-old chestnut colt, Hazlehatch, which beat Lord Randolph Churchill's two-year-old black filly, Labbess de Louavre. These were the only starters.

The Royal Hunt Cup was won to-day by Shillelah; Attilia, second; Veracity, third.

Lord Douglas Abjectly Apologizes.

Lord James Douglas, who, two weeks ago, was committed to jail by Judge Chitty for contempt of court in having sent an indecent photograph and questionable Christmas card to Miss Mable Scott, a ward in chancery and daughter of Lady Scott, was set at liberty to-day upon being arraigned in court. Lord Douglas abjectly apologized for having annoyed the lady and was discharged with a reprimand and warning to discontinue annoying practices lest he should find himself wearing the garb of a convict.

The Prussian Cabinet.

All attempts to reconstruct the Prussian cabinet have been abandoned, and in view of the near approach of the Crown Prince William to the throne the situation is looked upon as a complete triumph for Prince Bismarck.

Steamer Lost.

A dispatch from Jeddah says the German steamer Pemptos, from Singapore with 1,100 pilgrims, on their way to Mecca, on board, is overdue at Jeddah. She is supposed to be lost.

League Members Arrested.

DUBLIN, June 13.—Several members of the national league have been arrested as a result of a series of secret inquiries, which have been instituted by the government. Some of the prisoners were arrested for declining to give evidence.

The Emperor's Health.

BERLIN, June 13.—The general condition of the Emperor is comparatively satisfactory. He takes no solid food, however, except through a tube. His physicians express the hope that his strength may be maintained for some days, but are convinced the final decline has set in.

The Bourses Weak.

The Bourses at Paris, Vienna and Frankfort are weak on account of the critical condition of Emperor Frederick.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Gen. Sheridan's Condition.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The following bulletin was issued at 9 a. m.: Gen. Sheridan slept more than usual last night. Towards morning he had a period of general depression, following an attack of coughing. From this he quickly recovered. At present his appetite is sufficient. His pulse is 100-12; his respiration 27 and regular; his temperature is normal; his appearance is better.

Will Tackle the Cape Breton Giant.

SOUTH FARMINGHAM, Mass., June 13.—H. L. Dufur, the Marlboro champion, has accepted a challenge from Alexander McDonald, of Cape Breton, the giant, to engage in a collar-and-elbow wrestling match for $5,000 a side. The match will come off in Nova Scotia.

Base Ball Notes.

Maroons 13; Desmoines 7.
Washington 4; Pittsburg 0.
New York 6; Detroit 8.
Philadelphia 15; Indianapolis 5.
Philadelphia Athletic 6; Brooklyn 3.
Kansas City 6; Cincinnati 11.
St. Louis 3; Louisville 2.
Albany 2; Buffalo 3.
Troy 4; Toronto 7.
Syracuse 8; Rochester Stars 1.
Hamilton 7; London 2.

BLAINE POSITIVELY DECLINES.

Under No Circumstances will He Accept the Nomination—Suggests Senator Sherman, of Ohio, as the Wisest Choice.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

PITTSBURG, June 13.—The *Leader* this afternoon publishes the following:—"B. F. Jones, chairman of the Republican national committee, left for Chicago last night. In his possession was a letter just received from J. G. Blaine, which is to be read upon the assembling of the national convention next Tuesday. It states in terms that cannot be mistaken, Blaine's position in regard to the presidency, and settlers for good and all the question of his candidacy. In neither of the previous epistles from him at Florence and Paris did Blaine state positively that he would not accept the nomination if tendered him. In the letter that chairman Jones has this declaration is most emphatically made. Under no circumstances, Blaine says, will he permit the use of his name at Chicago, nor would he accept were the presidential nomination unanimously tendered him. He further goes on to indicate that Senator Sherman, of Ohio, is his preference, and advises the convention to place him at the head of the Republican national ticket."

DROWNING CASUALTY.

Miss Keefer and Her Two Nephews Drowned While Bathing.

OTTAWA, June 11.—A melancholy accident happened here on Saturday night. Jessie Keefer was along with two boys, named Tom and Harry Faulding, nephews of T. C. Keefer, the well-known engineer of Nepean Point, bathing, when the swells of the steamer Empress drew them out into deep water and they were all drowned. Miss Keefer lost her life in endeavoring to save the lives of her two nephews. The bodies were recovered at a late hour last night.

MARINE.

Ship Gatherer has been chartered at San Francisco to load coal at Nanaimo.

FOREIGN PORTS.

SYDNEY, June 2.—Arrived—British bark Pacific Slope, Moodyville; 11th—bark California, Chemainus.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.—Arrived—Ship Harry Morse, Nanaimo.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

ONTARIO.

A German laborer named Chishausen was found murdered near Brockville. Italian laborers are suspected.

Rev. J. W. Sparling, president of the Montreal conference, was the first white child born in Blanchard township, Perth county, Ont. He has been in the Montreal conference since 1867. He has just received a unanimous call to the pastorate of the Centenary church, St. John, N.B., the metropolitan church of the maritime provinces.

The Canadian committee appointed by the British association to investigate the physical characters, languages, industrial and social conditions of Northwest Indians is about to make vigorous efforts to secure information and is sending out communications to government officers and public men acquainted with the Indians of the territories. H. Hale, of Clinton, and G. M. Dawson, of Ottawa, have the matter in hand.

Prof. C. W. Williams, aeronaut, made an ascent in a balloon from Dundurn grounds. When the balloon had gained an altitude of about three-quarters of a mile Williams with the aid of a parachute dropped from the basket. On account of some of the ropes being tangled he dropped about 300 feet before the parachute became inflated. He alighted on the top of a three-storey building, received several bad bruises and had his arm sprained from the effects of a collision against the side of the building.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Arrest of the Supposed Murderer of Priestman in Toronto.

Imperial Federationists Want Lord Stanley to Accept Office—Rumored Senate Appointments—A Narrow Escape from Drowning.

Ellis' Contempt.

ST. JOHN, June 13.—The contempt of court case against John V. Ellis, M. P., came up to-day. The rule against him has been made absolute, the last term he having appealed to the supreme court of Canada. He was released on his recognizance. The case will be heard in October. Ellis' contempt of court was a severe attack on Judge Tuck for ordering the Queen's County recount in 1887. The case was still pending when Ellis published the so-called criticisms.

Notable Passengers.

QUEBEC, June 13.—The s.s. Vancouver, which sails for Liverpool to-morrow, takes a number of distinguished passengers including Bishop Anson, Qu'Appelle, C. W. Bunting and wife, Archdeacon Dixon, Bishop Hamilton, Niagara, Miss Hamilton, Bishop Medley, Metropolitan of Canada, Dalton McCarthy and Bishop Williams.

Lord Stanley in Quebec.

Richelieu line steamer from Montreal with Lord Stanley and suite aboard, reached here at 7 o'clock. The party at once landed and drove to their quarters in the citadel. There was no salute, guard of honor, and but a few flags were hoisted here and there. The governor received a municipal address at Dufferin terrace this afternoon.

Quebec Notes.

The death is just announced at St. Victor de Tring of Alexis Poulin, a Chateauguay veteran of 1795.

Hon. Mr. Blanchet, collector of customs, is reported seriously ill.

General Ross, commander of the forces, has been inspecting the Point Levis forts and other military buildings in this vicinity.

A man named Dussault was arrested at Levis this morning for setting fire to the Intercolonial railway building at Hadlock station. He had also threatened to destroy rolling stock there.

A Federation of Intrigue.

MONTREAL, June 13.—A morning paper says an intrigue is on foot among the imperial federationists of Canada to induce Lord Stanley to accept the position of honorary president, and warns the new governor-general to be careful not to overstep the principles of constitutional government. Imperial federation, he is told, though now looked upon as a harmless lunacy, could be regarded in another light if its advocates were successful in inveigling the governor-general into a compromising attitude.

To be Made Senator.

It is stated Dr. L. L. L. Desaulniers will be appointed senator of the division of Shawinegano to succeed the late senator Ferrier.

Murder Will Out.

TORONTO, June 13.—Last August Jos. Priestman, Jr., agent in this city for the Northwestern Masonic Aid Association, was found dead on the street near his residence, having been shot through the head, and a revolver found by him. Priestman's life was heavily insured, and there were speculations as to suicide or murder, but no clue was obtained. Last night County Constable Smith and wife were arrested charged with having committed the murder. Smith was the first person to discover Priestman's dead body. The detectives who have been at work on the case believe that they have evidence establishing his connection with the murder.

A Narrow Escape.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 13.—Rev. Dr. Williamson, the oldest professor of Queen's University, and brother-in-law of Sir John Macdonald, nearly lost his life on Saturday. He was stepping on the steamer Mud Lake when he slipped, he grabbed a rope and was dragged through the water before the rescue occurred.

Gave Him a Send-Off.

Lieut.-Col. Villiers, D. A. G., left for Winnipeg and was given a grand send-off by the military brethren and "A" Battery band.

HANLAN WINS.

The Ex-Champion Defeats Trickett, of Australia, by Six Lengths.

SYDNEY, N.S.W., June 13.—A sculling match took place to-day on the Fitzroy river, Queensland, between Trickett, of Australia, and Hanlan, of Canada. Hanlan won by six lengths. The race was for £500 a side.

THEY PAY THE PENALTY.

Moses Racette and James Gaudette Hanged on the Gallows at Regina.

REGINA, June 13.—James Gaudette and Moses Racette were hanged this morning at twenty-two minutes and nine seconds past 8 o'clock, for the murder of Hector McLeish, near Wolseley, N.W.T., May 31, 1887. Racette protested his innocence and did not think he should be hanged, as he did not do the shooting. Gaudette bore up pretty well till the hour of execution drew near. Racette has kept cool all the time since his arrest, but broke down as he stood on the scaffold. His incoherent protestations to the sheriff was evidence of his extreme nervousness. It was thought Gaudette would make a statement exonerating Racette, but the little murderer failed to come to time. About 7 o'clock the usual stream of inquisitive visitors began to arrive, and by 8 the guard-room was crowded by parties claiming to have passports to the scene of the execution. At 7:55 a guard of nine red coats handed the prisoners over to the mercies of the sheriff, and shortly after the police commissioner from his bedroom, it is said, ordered the whole outfit out on the square. At 8:05 a red coat called for Mr. Forget, but in his absence Mr. Gourget took from Racette a confession. At 8:14 the prisoners got through breakfast, immediately after which Jack Anderson, Riel's hangman, accompanied by the Rev. Mr. Gregory, Gaudette's spiritual adviser, and Father Graton, Moses Racette's comforter, left the cell and marched to the scaffold. At the scaffold Gaudette remained almost lifeless and Racette felt his unfortunate position keenly. Jack Henderson strapped the murderers in cool shape, and while Peres Graton and Leduc said the Lord's Prayer the murderers were launched into eternity. They died without a single struggle.

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RUSSIA'S LONG ARM.

Another vast railway project follows fast on the completion of the Trans-Caspian railway. The Government at St. Petersburg is already considering the details of the proposal, which is no less than the uniting of the extreme eastern terminus of the Russian railway system with the Siberian coast on the Pacific Ocean. The plans for this great enterprise were examined at a recent sitting of the Imperial Russian Technical Society, on which occasion Vice-Admiral Kryloff pronounced himself in favor of the Orenburg route. But according to the Government the Samara Nertschinsk route is to be preferred, and the majority of the members of the society favored this latter proposal. The Czar is of the opinion that it should be built gradually, beginning by small sections where local circumstances render it advisable, and constructing the rest according to requirements. The chief difficulties to be encountered do not consist in the undulations of the country traversed, but in the large rivers across which it will be necessary to throw bridges. The Russians would have preferred one of the Corean ports for a Pacific railway terminus. Port Lazareff or the Bay of Vozan would have suited them better than Vladivostok. It is thought our Government had an inkling of this when they caused Port Hamilton to be occupied. The new Russian railway will be about six thousand four hundred kilometres long, and the cost will be approximately 100,000,000 roubles. The first section projected will cover 3,500 kilometres and will cost about 240,000,000 roubles. Both for political and military reasons the Russians attach the utmost importance to the prompt execution of this mighty scheme, which becomes the more popular as it is the more discussed.

THE CASE OF EDITOR HAWKE.

The Minister of Justice has sent a courteous reply to Mr. P. D. Ross, chairman of the meeting of Ottawa newspaper men held a few weeks ago in regard to the Hawke case. After referring to the debate in the House on the subject, Mr. Thompson says:

After what has been said I need hardly say that I cannot agree with the views expressed in the first resolution, which proceed on the ground that the acts and conduct of judges are open to criticism of any kind, subject only to the ordinary penalties of law, enforceable by its ordinary procedure. This I take to be the meaning of the resolution and its recitals, for otherwise it is misapplied to the case of Mr. Hawke. It is a principle that libels upon the character and motives of a judge, having relation to his acts as a judge, are punishable by attachment for contempt, if, in the opinion of the court, they are of such a character as to interfere with the due administration of justice. In the consideration of this point it is immaterial at what time the libels have been published in connection with the proceedings to which they relate. It is competent for the court to decide that they have interfered with the due administration of justice, or are likely to do so (as by creating contempt or want of confidence in the mind of the public, or by impairing in any other way the efficiency of the judge) in relation to future cases, as well as in relation to matters which are *sub judice*. The second resolution recites that Mr. Hawke, on his arraignment at Fredericton, charged Judge Fraser with having been under the influence of liquor while in the discharge of his duties, and further recites that Mr. Hawke was not allowed by the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, to give evidence in proof of this statement. It then requests me to proceed to investigate the truth of the charge as made, and to take proceedings against Mr Hawke for libel if it be found untrue. The meeting was perhaps under the impression, as I believe a considerable portion of the public were, that Mr. Hawke was punished for having made the statement that Judge Fraser was under the influence of liquor when he adjudicated on the Westmoreland petition. Such, however, is not the case. He was punished for having published that Judge Fraser was influenced by corrupt motives in giving his decision. No imputation in fact, I believe, was made by Mr. Hawke against Judge Fraser in reference to that decision being influenced by improper indulgences. His statement before the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, and in his paper, that Judge Fraser had been under the influence of liquor at some other time, was wholly irrelevant; no proof could have been received in support of it, and it would seem to have been, therefore, a statement merely made for the purpose of wounding the judge and inflicting discredit upon him. The highly honorable reputation which Judge Fraser bears, and has borne for many years, would make it unseemly that I should take up an accusation against him which has so strong an appearance of being wanton and malicious. You are aware, of course, that the judges of the Supreme Court are removable only on an address of both Houses of Parliament. They are, therefore, not under the control of my department or of the Executive, although no doubt a *bona fide* complaint of gross misconduct on the part of a judge accompanied by proofs, would justify the Government in calling the attention of Parliament to the case. As regards the prosecution of Mr. Hawke for libel, no such duty devolves on me. The enforcement of the criminal law is the duty of the law officers of the Provincial Government.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE Galloway *Gazette* (Tory) is our authority for the following good story: When at Balmoral the Queen heard of a pretty Highland lass who was said to be the finest dancer in the Strath. Her Majesty sent for her to dance before her. The girl did so, and the Queen was much charmed. The girl was rather of the better class, and the Queen had difficulty about offering her money. Her Majesty asked the girl what she should give her—what she would like. The girl (of a strong Tory family) replied: "The head of Mr. Gladstone on a charger." The Queen is reported to have said that she could give her the charger, but, as for the head of Mr. Gladstone, he had lost that years ago.

ITALIAN archaeologists, who for some time have been at work uncovering the ancient Greek city of Sybaris, in Italy, have lighted upon evidences of a more ancient city upon which Sybaris was built. The Necropolis is in an undisturbed state and adds strong evidence to the belief in a high Italic civilization prior to the Etruscan and contemporaneous with the building of the pyramids. Italian scientists place its decline at 1000 B. C., and believe that its people were the real inventors of the pre-historic walls which exist all over Italy where there are no signs of Etruscan habitation. A report shortly to be issued under the auspices of the Italian government is claimed to be a complete demonstration of the pre-Etruscan civilization.

THE Anglican Synod of the Diocese of Toronto adopted the report of the committee appointed at the last meeting to take into consideration the union of the church in British North America. The report recommends that power be given to dioceses within the several Provinces of the Dominion to form themselves into councils. The bishops of the Provinces would constitute the upper house to be presided over by an archbishop elected by the bishops of the various dioceses concerned. The report further recommends the formation of a Dominion Synod to meet every five years and to be presided over by a Metropolitan elected by the archbishops. The legislation of the Provincial Councils as set forth in the report, is confined to matters affecting the provincial affairs of the church. The Dominion Synod in addition to being concerned with the standard of worship and discipline of the church would act as a court of appeal in cases affecting the general interests of the church. The committee was instructed to co-operate with other dioceses of the Dominion with a view to practical legislation.

THE HIGHWAYS.

TO THE EDITOR:—From the proceedings referring to the above-named subject in the recent session of the Legislature it was abundantly shown, and irrespective of party, that the existing method of appropriation and expenditure for roads gives much dissatisfaction, and under the recognized circumstances, it follows on the grounds of public polity can a more satifactory plan be devised in a matter so vitally affecting the Province? Look what the parent country has done for her highways by a system evolved from centuries of experience: Firstly, there is placed over each county an engineer of proved capacity, and further—such is the importance of the office deemed—only appointed on passing one of the severest civil service examinations extant, not excepting that famed one for the Indian civil service; this official also has a qualified assistant, and their combined duty is to inspect, report on, and duly carry out all the road work in the county, the result being further subject to the supervision of a central board of engineers, and no external influence, political importunity, or power to gratify private advantage, against the public good—as running roads up bluffs or mountains—is a factor in the work, which is altogether outside the arena of politics and independently conducted on scientific methods by competent technical experts. Thus no burlesques yclept roadways anywhere exist; hence the unrivalled highway system of Great Britain and Ireland, to which is appropriately added an exhaustive survey by a *corps* of the Royal Engineers also embracing the isometric or altitude lines, employed when roads are being projected, and a perpetual revision ever goes on, giving additions up to date, the whole forming a national work of vast magnitude and detail, unequalled by any other nation and only nearly approached by the government survey of Belgium—that interesting country—which is, however, plotted on a larger scale. Now it could not be even thought that such complex machinery would be possible to any colony, but it is reasonable to conceive, in the light of experience, for some points the principle in its elemental forms, at least, might be introduced with advantage. For instance, the official fragmentary map of part of the island, inaccurate and imperfect though it be, might to further subserve the purposes for which maps are used, have roads, existing for several years, indicated on it. It would, without doubt, tend to the public good, if in some districts, at least, a qualified and active man was appointed, as in California, to determine from some data or defined principle the necessity for road extension or repair, and see it properly carried out, cases occurring where contractors deflect even from the given road stake, or where a five dollar culvert would save chains of roadway from being flooded, and the whole section impassible for several months, and many other points might be cited. It is all, of course, a matter that could not be apprehended by those who, in taking their drives or walks abroad, do not pass the boarded foot-path; their care may be the maximum amount of shoe polish they can get around with, the knights of the sidewalk, whose lustre is dimmed only by that of their boots. But to persons living in rural parts, even as residents, or others whose bread depends on a good and always available highway, the subject is of daily and increasing importance, inviting the attention of those whose judgment commends them to serious concerns.

JOHN VANTREIGHT.

Gordon Head.

THE BISHOP OF COLUMBIA'S RESIGNATION.

TO THE EDITOR:—Bishop Hills having given his cogent reasons for resigning, viz.: "That it would be for the advantage of the diocese that he should make way for a younger life, and that there is very much which should be done by a bishop which is not being done, the want of which is injurious to the interests and progress of the church, etc." In the face of such a deliberate and serious statement, many persons would be interested to know *on what grounds* or *how* the synod—which has not been in session—intervened, or how the bishop could consistently consent to their "request" in view of his own public and published declaration.

CHURCHMAN.

SITE FOR THE HOSPITAL.

TO THE EDITOR:—If it be not too late Mr. Trounce's estate might be suggested as a very suitable place for the Jubilee Hospital.

SETTLER.

Victoria, June 13th.

THE HOSPITAL SITE.

TO THE EDITOR:—In handing to you for publication (with your permission) the enclosed letter, being part of a correspondence with the honorary secretary of the jubilee committee on the "Hospital Sunday" question, permit me to observe that the people of Victoria, now numbering perhaps some 12,000 souls, have been accustomed for some thirty years to regard the Royal Hospital—originally erected on the Indian reserve—as in some sense their own. I think I am correct in saying that the present site and building cost the government nothing, being bought, built, and paid for wholly by citizens. It is in this view I refer to "a small body of subscribers"—in point of fact, as the meeting of yesterday shows, the building committee—dealing absolutely with so large a question. The government—to whom the property was conveyed for hospital purposes with no other stipulation, as it would seem, than that, I believe, there should be a female ward—may be acting legally, but hardly equitably, in ignoring the city and its authorities in the disposal of the property, especially when so many think that the step they are taking is not for the best.

E. CRIDGE.

13th June, 1888.

HOSPITAL SITE.—In reference to the action of the Ministerial Association, we are requested to state that the site of the Jubilee Hospital was one of the first questions taken up by the association after its organization a few months ago, and that its memorial was suffered to remain nearly two months unanswered by the Jubilee committee. BISHOP CRIDGE.

(COPY.)

June 11, 1888.

To Mr. Wm. M. Chudley, Esq.:

MY DEAR SIR,—If the intention of the Jubilee committee is to do away with the Royal Hospital, which, according to the general impression, is a city, as well as a provincial, institution, I think it would be the wish of those who object to the proposed site to wait, before contributing further, till it is ascertained whether there is the power to do this. It is evident that the alternative proposed in yours of the 9th inst., (for which permit me sincerely to thank you) would not, under the circumstances, relieve us from the disadvantage of helping forward a scheme which we think not to be the best for the city and province, that is, for the indigent sick thereof.

If the committee would look simply at the case of the Royal Hospital (I mean apart from the question of the Richmond road site) and, in an equitable point of view, consider that as a civic, as well as a provincial, institution, it ought not to be done away with or removed without the sanction or approval of the civic authorities, a satisfactory conclusion might be reached. A plebiscite of the province is impraticable, but a public meeting called by the mayor at the instance of the Jubilee committee would probably be satisfactory throughout the province—more satisfactory, surely, in a disputed question largely concerning the public welfare, than settling it by what may, I trust, without offence be termed to some extent a close committee, appointed by a small body of subscribers, on which committee, to go no further, there are, it is said, no scientific or expert members, I mean those of the medical class. Although many are under the impression that whatever method of consulting public opinion is adopted it would educe a general objection to removing the Royal Hospital, and an equally general approval of building the new hospital on the present noble site, yet were it otherwise, all will acquiesce that when all has been done that could reasonably be required. I am, dear Sir, respectfully yours,

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NOTICE.

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jun3-1w EDWARD HOWARD.

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED DENTISTS OF the City of Victoria, have agreed to close our offices every Saturday at one o'clock, from 1st June to 1st October.
T. J. JONES & SON. LEWIS HALL.
W. J. QUINLAN. R. F. VERRINDER.
A. C. WEST. jun1-1w

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against Catharine Lovett, late of the City of Victoria, widow, deceased, are requested to forthwith send a detailed statement thereof, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to forthwith pay the same to
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solrs. for the Executor.
June 2nd, A. D. 1888. jun3

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against Charles Pollock, late of Cedar Hill District, farmer, deceased, are requested to forthwith send a detailed statement thereof, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to forthwith pay the same to
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solrs. for Robert Scott, the Executor.
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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP WHICH HAS HEREtofore existed between the undersigned under the name of Nesbitt & Co., Cracker Bakers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Mrs. Nesbitt assuming all liabilities of the firm.

The affairs of Nesbitt & Co. will be liquidated by Mr. James R. Anderson, who alone is authorized to collect the debts due.

S. D. NESBITT.
JANE A. NESBITT.

Referring to the above, we beg to announce that we have this day entered into partnership, under the name or style of NESBITT, DICKSON & CO., for the purpose of carrying on the business of the late firm of Nesbitt & Co., and intend to add to the present plant modern machinery and such other facilities as may be necessary for supplying the trade of British Columbia. We respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage extended to our predecessors, to merit which every effort will be made.

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FACULTY OF MEDICINE.
Montreal, April 10th, 1888.
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DEAR SIRS,—I have carefully analyzed the sample of "Armbrecht's Coca Wine" sent to me on the 5th ultimo. I find that the wine contains 0.0211 per cent. of Cocaine by weight; that is, each wineglassful of the wine contains 0.035 grammes, or a little more than half a grain of the Alkaloid. Armbrecht's Coca Wine may be briefly described as a very agreeable preparation, containing in each wineglassful a good tonic dose of the active principle of Erythroxylon Coca. I remain, Sirs,
Sincerely yours,
R. F. RUTTAN, B.A., M.D.,
Lecturer in Chemistry, McGill University.
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BY WHAT SURE SIGN?

When she at last may come for whom I wait,
With sunlight or with sorrow on her face,
By what sure sign revealed shall I trace
The vision'd semblance of my after fate?
But I shall surely know her by the weight
Of light unfurled within a minute's space!
Yea, I shall know her by the actual grace
Her soul extends—and shall be free to mate
My heart with hers. Nor this the only sign!
But something which the spirit shall devise
Will open up a summer to the skies
Of fervent purity and lasting shine—
A something for the utterance too divine
Shall tremble from the silence of her eyes.
—Ferdinand Edward Kappey in Detroit Free Press.

COONEY.

The "Rio Colorado" is a small river which forms the southern extremity of the salty, sandy reach lying between what was Kings' ranch and the City of Brownsville.

To the north a far reaching waste dazzled the eyes with the whiteness of its crystallized sands, while vast prairies of mesquite grass, dotted at intervals with clusters of stunted trees, skirted its southern banks. To the west the horizon was cut by the black line of the Guadalupe mountains.

The sun was yet two hours high, and the Brownsville road, after it had cut its way through the northern bank of the river, seemed to form a long winding trail, which lost itself in the hazy whiteness of the desert.

The "Colorado" was at its lowest stage and fordable.

Five specks were approaching from the north, five black moving spots in the vast expanse.

They were five herders or Rio Grande men well mounted and armed, riding at the fastest road pace to which their beasts could be urged. As they neared the river four stopped, while one rode to the edge of the bank. The latter scanned up and down for a few seconds and inspected the tracks at the ford; appearing satisfied with the outlook, he returned to his companions.

Three Mexicans and two Americans formed the company, but they were all accoutered alike.

"Anything in sight?" asked one of the Americans from the returning Mexican.

"No, captain," answered the Mexican, "I saw no fresh tracks at the ford."

"The Rangers must have struck for the Laredo road," said the captain, "and we will have time to cross the Rio Grande. No doubt Cooney gave us away to them. As he expected us to run to the north, he started the Rangers on the wrong trail."

The five men were cattle runners and prairie pirates, running to and fro from either side of the Rio Grande. They immediately moved on, and were soon across the river.

"Push up," said the captain, "it is nearly night, and we must camp at the Wells, so as to be able to cross the Rio Grande early in the morning."

The horses, as if refreshed by traveling on the soft, matted grass, accelerated their pace, and when the Wells were reached there was still enough light to allow the men to fix their camp for the night.

The Wells, as they were called, was a boggy pond in the midst of a bunch of mesquite timber. The herders had dug around the stagnant water several wells for the use of their stock. It was somewhat out of the way from the main road, and frequented only by herders and roaming, lawless riders.

The hobbled horses were turned loose for the night, and a fire was made, around which the men stretched themselves, munching some jerked beef and some cold tortillas.

Some time had elapsed, and the night was well on when the sudden yelping of the coyotes of the surrounding timber aroused the men. It indicated that either the coyotes were on a chase of some defenseless animal or that a human being was passing through the prairie, but before the campers could prepare themselves a rider was on them, his horse answering the neighing of the hobbled animals. All of the five campers were up in an instant, each with his revolver in hand.

"No fighting, boys!" hailed the new comer. "It's I, Cooney! I tracked you to the river and I knew I could overtake you at the Wells."

"Ah! my man!" answered the captain, "you were always mighty good on a trail, but you may have struck a wrong scent. Glad to see you back again. Dismount and hobble out your horse."

Cooney did as directed, and joining the group he squatted before the fire in the place made vacant for him.

"Have you brought your rations with you?" asked the captain of Cooney.

The company had all turned their eyes on Cooney, who answered uneasily: "No, I eat at the ranch of Los Animas, and as I was anxious to overtake you all, I left my rations, so as not to overload my horse."

"Did you see McLean and his rangers?" asked the captain in a whining soft voice.

"I struck the ranch after they had left," answered Cooney.

"You lie!" yelled the captain as he straightened himself, revolver in hand, which he leveled at Cooney, adding: "You are now on a scout for them, expecting to betray us."

The whole company rose up, five revolvers glistening on Cooney.

The fire, which had been kept up in a bright blaze, illuminated the whole scene. Cooney raised himself, his hands hanging by his side; he knew that the least movement would send five bullets through him.

"Now, Cooney," said the captain, "no more lying; you have betrayed us and you are now on an errand of treachery. Hold up your hands!"

Cooney held up his hands.

"Boys," added the captain, "cover him with your barrels while I tie him."

The captain went to his saddle and untying his lariat he stepped behind Cooney, whose hands he took down and fastened securely behind his back. Then facing Cooney, he said:

"Now, Cooney, let us hear what you have to say. Your hours are short, unless you can show us that you are straight."

"I have nothing to say," answered Cooney, looking fearlessly at his confederates. "You have seen me face death often enough to know that I am not afraid to die."

The other American interrupted him: "None of your tongue, Cooney; we all know how slippery you are. Come to the point. How comes it, that instead of your meeting us at Los Animas, the Rangers were there waiting for us? If it hadn't been for Pedro Concha, we would have been trapped. He met us some two miles beyond, and he said you were there also."

"Answer that!" yelled the American.

"Pedro lied," answered Cooney.

"Well, we will search you," said the captain; "the proofs must be on you, either in money or in papers."

While talking, Cooney had gradually slipped his right hand through the knotted lariat, and he had succeeded in disentangling it, unseen by the rest; with his elbows he had slipped his revolver scabbard close to his hand.

As the captain stepped toward Cooney, the latter, quick as a flash, drew his pistol on him, and at it its report the captain sank to the ground with a yell, Cooney's bullet crashing through his head.

Before Cooney could move his hand from its aim he was covered by the pistols of the remaining four men, and he fell, pierced by four bullets, on the corpse of the captain.

The four freebooters did not remain to dispose of the bodies, nor even to look at them, but searching for their hobbled horses they saddled them at double quick. Leading the two horses of the dead men they struck through the prairie toward the Rio Grande.

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A faint streak of light was barely tingeing the horizon when a troop of Rangers could be seen silently surrounding the timber which contained the Wells. Each rider was bending on his saddle, rifle in hand, watching for those they were pursuing. However, daylight came clear and bright, and the sun rose above the line of the timber, but the troopers detected no movement, and no human being made his appearance.

"That scoundrel of a Cooney must have fooled us, and he must have decamped with our money and his confederates," said Capt. McLean to his lieutenant.

"Let us ride in and see," answered the lieutenant.

"By no means," said Capt. McLean; "we might be surprised and lose a few men. Those fellows won't do to trifle with; we will close on them regularly with the whole company."

Capt. McLean gave the orders and the company moved on, gradually closing in its circle.

McLean was riding forward, when his horse gave a sudden plunge, rearing almost erect on his haunches.

"Great God!" cried the lieutenant, "captain, look under you! Look at those corpses!"

By this time the troop had united at the Wells, and all dismounting, the captain turned over the bodies.

"Cooney was true after all," he said, "and, no doubt, they had an explanation and a fight."

"But who is this?" he added, looking at the other body.

The whole troop looked at the pallid features of the dead outlaw, but they looked in vain; his features were as unknown to them as his name.

The two bodies were thrown into a sink in the prairie, and the mesquite over which they had coursed so often, the terror of the frontier, now covers them out of sight of foes or friends, if friends they ever had.—Times Democrat.

Man's Dress in San Francisco.

The genuine "down east" or Canadian visitor who arrives in San Francisco during the winter season greatly helps to increase the diversity in dress which one notes in San Francisco. He often comes equipped in fur lined raiment, and when the clouds grow heavy and the wind begins to come in puffs from the south he looms up like a survivor of an Arctic expedition. His ponderous coat with its fur collar enveloping his ears looks strange beside the light summer overcoats or the still thinner cutaway coats made light and airy by white neckties and plug hats. The newly arrived owner of the fur lined overcoat, however, rarely sticks long to his old love, and is soon found airing his figure without any overcoat at all or stalking along with a gossamer garment thrown back to display his light necktie and other summery raiment.

The Visitor from the Orient, if he be of a foppish turn, contributes more than his share toward the contrasts in dress. He is generally of a "horsey" turn and delights to stroll through the streets on his way to a livery stable remarkable in a hunting suit, tight fitting "cords" and top boots and spurs. An Oriental tourist who struck the town not long since, sailed out from the Palace hotel one chilly afternoon in a pair of canary colored pantaloons, patent leather shoes with striped cloth tops, a blue vest with polka dots and a claret colored velvet coat. The whole rig was surmounted by a pith helmet of the kind worn in tropical countries. The gamins of San Francisco are too much accustomed to sharp contrasts in dress to be easily excited, but this Shanghai fashion plate was too much for their equanimity. By the time they had presented their compliments in the shape of a wheelbarrow full of cobble stones, the Shanghai masher reached his hotel through a dozen back streets and was seen no more in a velvet coat on a cold winter's day.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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When a man or woman loses nerve power he or she has lost the key to health and happiness, and is on the broad highway to a life of chronic invalidism, mental derangement and the silent cemetery.

That countless thousands are now suffering from sexual enervation is everywhere apparent; it manifests itself in our homes, on the streets, in the insane asylums, and more especially in the divorce courts.

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So degenerate have we become as a nation, it is almost impossible to picture a Venus or Hebe anywhere among our countrymen.

The multifarious causes which have led up to this condition we will not elaborate here; men of to-day care very little for cause. If they can grasp effect and cure at once, they are satisfied; nearly everyone can tell a sad story; of cures, there have been so few in times past a small would record them all.

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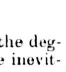

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At Lillooet,	on Wednesday, 30th May, 1888.
At Clinton,	on Wednesday, 13th June, 1888.
At 150-Mile House,	on Thursday, 28th June, 1888.
At Soda Creek,	on Saturday, 30th June, 1888.
At Quesnellemouth,	on Tuesday, 3rd July, 1888.
At Richfield,	on Friday, 6th July, 1888.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1888. ap20-td

NOTICE.

To Carpenters and Builders.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Thursday, 7th June, for the construction of a School House at Victoria West.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-Gen'l.
Lands and Works Dep't,
Victoria, B. C., 30th May, 1888. my31

NOTICE

To Contractors and Builders.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 16th instant, for the erection of a brick addition to the Central School Buildings, Victoria.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the offici of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Land and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 5th June, 1888. jun6

NOTICE.

To Contractors and Builders.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 16th instant, for the erection of a Public School Building at Vancouver.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned, or at the office of Dr. Beckingsale, Secretary to the Board of Trustees, Vancouver.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 5th June, 1888. jun6

Vancouver *Herald* and *News-Adv'r* please copy.

NOTICE.

Tenders for Gaol Supplies.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 29th June, 1888, for

SUPPLIES
—FOR—
Victoria Provincial Gaol,
—CONSISTING OF—
Bread, Groceries, Clothing, Coal, Wood and Coke, Meats, Fish and Vegetables,

FROM 1ST JULY, 1888, TO 30TH JUNE, 1889.

Samples of Groceries and Clothing may be seen at Victoria Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to state price of Wood per cord, and Coal per ton of 2,000 lbs.

All Supplies to be delivered at the Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to be addressed to—
H. B. ROYCRAFT,
Sup't Prov. Police.
Victoria, June 3rd, 1888. jun1-td

NOTICE.

BRIDGE CLOSED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Bridge over the Colquitz River, on the cross road between the Burnside Road and Craigflower, has been closed for repairs.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 23rd May, 1888. my24

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1888.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria	Monday	21st May.
Nanaimo	Tuesday	5th June.

[On Mainland.]

New Westminster	Wednesday	2nd May.
Kamloops	Monday	4th June.
Clinton	Monday	11th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield	Monday	10th September.
Clinton	Wednesday	26th September.
Kamloops	Monday	1st October.
Lytton	Monday	8th October.
New Westminster	Wednesday	14th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria	Monday	26th November.
Nanaimo	Tuesday	4th December.

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NOTICES.

High School Entrance Examination.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF applicants for entrance to a High School, will be held in the Central School Building, Victoria, on Thursday, June 7th, commencing at 9 a. m. Candidates must be punctual.

S. D. POPE,
my29 Supt. of Education.

EDUCATION BRANCH,
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.
VICTORIA, June 4th, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Legislative Hall, Victoria, commencing on Saturday, July 7th, at 10 a. m.

Intending candidates are required to notify this Department and furnish testimonials prior to June 27th.

S. D. POPE,
ju5 Superintendent of Education.

NOTICE.

To Claimants of Land, in New Westminster District, which was formerly Reserved under the Provisions of the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878."

NOTICE is hereby given that a Commissioner will visit Chilliwhack about the first week in June for the purpose of holding inquiries and taking evidence in all cases of disputed claims to lands. Persons who are interested are hereby notified to be prepared with their evidence at the time mentioned.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th May, 1888. my11-3w

TAX NOTICE.

ASSESSED and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1888 are due and payable at my office, Treasury, James Bay.

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of 1 per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ⅓ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before June 30th 7½ cents per acre.

Real Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ⅗ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ¾ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, 8½ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, in each case, *per capita*, $3.00.

C. BOOTH,
ap8-june30 Assessor and Collector.

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc., etc.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Victoria.

WHEREAS a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly by the acceptance of office of Robert Franklin John, Esquire, a member for the Electoral District of Victoria, We command you that, notice of the time and place of election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of one Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Victoria, and that you do cause the nomination of candidates at such election to be held on .
and do cause the name of such member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the Thirtieth day of June instant, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia:

WITNESS the Honorable HUGH NELSON, Our Lieutenant-Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the Fourth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

By Command,
JAMES C. PREVOST,
jun8-2w Registrar Supreme Court.

NOTICE.

B. C. Express Company, L'd.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY, 21st MAY, and continuing during the Summer months,
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WILL LEAVE
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned lands in the Coast District, and described as follows:—

Lot 1.—Containing 160 acres—Commencing at a stake marked A, on the point known as Double Island Point, Naas River; thence south along the shore line 40 chains to stake B; thence west 40 chains to stake C; thence north 40 chains to stake D; thence east along the shore line 40 chains to initial stake.

Lot 3.—Containing 160 acres—Situated on the south side of Naas River, commencing at a stake about a quarter of a mile above Leading Point; thence east along the shore line 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to initial stake.

R. H. HALL.
Port Simpson, 19th May, 1888. my31-2m

CARD OF THANKS.

THE UNDERSIGNED EXTEND THEIR heartfelt thanks to the members of the Fire Department for their successful efforts in saving their Building and Stock from destruction by fire on Saturday afternoon.

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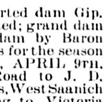
SEASON 1888.

THE HEAVY DRAUGHT STALLION



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RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y
TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

Going North, Read Down: No. 2 Passenger Daily.	Going North, Read Down: No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	Stations.	Going South, Read Up: No. 1 Passenger Daily.	Going South, Read Up: No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
De 8.20 A.M	De 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 7.00
" 8.24	" 3.36	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W	" 1.00	" 6.56
" 8.34	" 3.46	ESQUIMALT	" 12.50	" 6.46
" 9.01	" 4.11	GOLDSTREAM	" 12.23 P.M	" 6.21
" 9.56	" 5.06	SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 11.28	" 5.26
" 10.08	" 5.16	COBBLE HILL	" 11.16	" 5.16
" 10.25	" 5.31	McPHERSON'S	" 10.59	" 5.01
" 10.37	" 5.41	KOKSILAH	" 10.47	" 4.51
" 10.42	" 5.46	DUNCAN'S	" 10.42	" 4.46
" 10.52	" 5.56	SOMENOS	" 10.32	" 4.36
" 11.18	" 6.18	CHEMAINUS	" 10.06	" 4.14
Ar 12.20 P.M / De 12.29	" 7.16	NANAIMO	De 9.04 / Ar 8.55	" 3.16
Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31	WELLINGTON	De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01 P.M

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Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue.

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A SINGLE FARE!
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Tickets good for return only until Monday Evening.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

R. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Superintendent.
H. K. PRIOR,
my29 Gen. Freight and Passenger Agt.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company
LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province":

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the Requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887.
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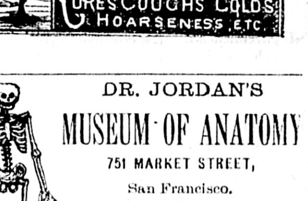

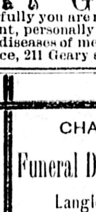

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DOGS AT LARGE!

THE PUBLIC ARE REQUESTED TO TAKE Notice that all Dogs found at large within the City limits, after the 26th instant, without the Corporation Tag for the current year, will be impounded and dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the "Pound By-Law."

Dog Tags can be obtained on application at the City Hall, Douglas street.

By order,
THOS. RUSSELL,
City Hall, Victoria, Collector M. C.
18th May, 1888. my19

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

Notice to Steamers.
—RAILWAY—
SWING BRIDGE.

Captains of Tugs or Steamers are hereby given notice that FOUR sharp whistles are required as a signal for opening the E. & N. Railway SWING BRIDGE across Victoria Harbor. apr1

GERMAN BARQUE

"Janbaas,"
CAPT. AYKEN,
—FROM LIVERPOOL.—

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE CARGO at our Outer Wharf from Monday until Friday next, and at our Inner Wharf on Friday and following days. Consignees of cargo are requested to present their Bills of Lading at the office of the undersigned, sign the average bond, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods. All goods when discharged will be at the risk of the owners thereof, respectively, and may be stored at their expense.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Victoria, B. C., Consignees of Vessel.
9th June, 1888. jun10 1w

Puget Sound Steamers of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.

In effect February 26th, and until further notice

STEAMERS
OLYMPIAN and ALASKAN
BETWEEN
TACOMA AND VICTORIA,
AS FOLLOWS:

On and after May 21st, the Steamer Olympian will run on the following Schedule:

Leave Victoria, 2.00 A.M.	Leave Seattle, 11A.M.
Arrive Towns'd, 5.00 "	Arr. Towns'd, 2.15P.M.
Leave " 5.30 "	Leave " 2.30 "
Arrive Seattle, 8.45 "	Arr. Victoria 5.30 "

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Leave Seattle..... 3.00 a.m., 1.00 and 3.30 p.m.
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Time Table No. 9, Takes Effect Nov'r 1st, 1887

BURRARD INLET ROUTE
VICTORIA TO—
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Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.
VANCOUVER TO VICTORIA,
Daily, except Monday, at 13:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. train.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.
LEAVE VICTORIA—
FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, LADNER'S LANDING AND LULU ISLAND,
Tuesday at 9 o'clock; Thursday and Sunday at 7 o clock.
PLUMPER PASS,
Sunday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER FOR VICTORIA,
Monday at 13 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
FOR PLUMPER PASS,
Monday, at 13 o'clock.

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.
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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 17th. jy25

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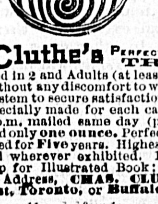

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THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1888.

SHIPPING.

ENTERED.

June 13th—
Schr. Lottie, Mud Bay.
Str. Cariboo Fly, Port Simpson.
Str. Yosemite, Vancouver.
Str. R. P. Rithet, Westminster.
Str. Olympian, Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

Schr. Lottie, Mud Bay.
Str. Yosemite, Vancouver.
Schr. Mountain Chief, N. P. O.
Str. Cariboo Fly, Comox.
Str. Olympian, Port Townsend.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN from Puget Sound.—J R Bellinger wife and son, Ingersoll and wife, G McCracken, Brownell wife and two sons, J Stern, P J Call, H Whittenberg, H C Fisher, E C Zull, T D Babbit, G Rouse, F S Taylor, C Smith, Mrs Chapman, Mrs Mulkey, C Plumb, Miss Pitock, C Daniels wife and daughter, M Sullivan, Mrs Paine, F E Farmer, Mrs Watson and daughter, T Sain, H D Hedger, B Hildebrant, E S Greely, Mrs Bailey and daughter, R W Calrim, L H Burt and wife, J S Damor and wife, T Wilson, F Jones, H Masco and wife, L W Smith, S Peterson and wife, J W Warren, Mrs Spalding, H Still, E Jackson, J B Ferguson, R Makel and wife, Miss Poy, Mrs Whitefield, E A Gardner, H Thomas, J T Bulfinch.

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SPRATT & GRAY, Sole Agents for this celebrated Cylinder and Machine Oil, solicits a trial order from steamboat owners and others using machinery. A supply always on hand. *

NEW SILKS—In Surahs, Pongees and Bengalines at the City House.

Perfect Health

Can only be attained by carefully attending to the laws of nature as expressed in the wants of the system. To do this successfully requires the use of Burdock Blood Bitters occasionally, to secure the regulating and strengthening effect of this splendid medicine. tu-th-sat-dw

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Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C. New and elegant. Situated near the steamboat landings, with unsurpassed view of hills, bay and distant mountains. All rooms are light and sunny. Perfect ventilation. ap6-3m*

SWAISLAND LAWN TENNIS FLANNELS.—The best goods manufactured and the finest dyes. An assortment of forty patterns at the CITY HOUSE. †

Fruit Jars and Jellies.

Mason's porcelain-lined cap, and Mason's Improved Gem Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half gallons, THE MOST RELIABLE FRUIT JARS MADE, at lowest prices, at JOHN WEILER'S, Fort street. *

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Messrs. M. W. WAITT & Co. have secured the services of Mr. Frank Bourne, a practical Tuner of 20 years' experience. Parties requiring their instruments tuned will please leave their orders at the Music Store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Evening Parties supplied with Pianist. Private residence, 24 Kane street. †

Levy, the Tailor,

20 Yates street, Victoria, B. C., makes the best fitting clothes. Pants to order from $6.00. Suits to order from $25. *

Old Shoes

Made as good as new, and better too, by Irving Bros., Crosson's old stand, Yates Street.

Ladies and Gentlemen

The best place to buy Garden ng Tools is at Cheapside. POWELL & Co. *

Macmunn's Views of C. P. R., Victoria and surroundings, for sale by
† T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

FRESH arrival of Brussel and tapestry carpets, rugs, linoleum, etc., at John Weiler's. †

Strong, Stout Ribbed Cotton Hose for Boy's Wear, a special line at the *City House*. *

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Against sudden Colds, irritating Coughs and Soreness of the Throat. Keep Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam at hand for these prevalent troubles of Winter and Spring. It is the best safeguard. tu-th-sat-dw

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Bass' 8-year-old ale on draught at the Occidental. *

STRIPED FLANNELETTES, 28 inches wide, from 12½c. per yard, at the CITY HOUSE. †

The highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note—Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson. *

The Deaf Hear.

After eight years suffering from Deafness, so bad that I was unable to attend to my business, I was cured by the use of Hagyard's Yellow Oil. With gratitude I make this known for the benefit of others afflicted. Harry Ricardo, Toronto, Ont. tu-th-sat-dw

The cheapest place to buy Fruit Jars, wholesale and retail, is at J. SEHL'S. *

J. SEHL, 68 Government street, has over forty different styles of Children's Carriages, from $8.00 up. *

READ Partridge's advertisement; the NEW GOODS challenge the unbounded admiration of all who visit the Lansdowne House. *

HOW MEN DIE.

If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the tendency toward death. Many however have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little aid to the weakened Lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a Cough, Cold, or any trouble of the Throat or Lungs, give that old and well-known remedy—Boschee's German Syrup, a careful trial. It will prove what thousands say of it to be, the "benefactor of any home."

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Smith and Clark Successful.

The tender for the erection of the Jubilee Hospital was awarded to Smith & Clark, conditionally. The tender will be finally given on Friday next.

Excursion Rates.

On July 1st, 2nd and 3rd the O. R. & N. Co. and Northern Pacific Railway will sell round trip tickets to Portland and return, good until the 7th, for a single fare.

Another Tug to be Built.

Mr. Alex. Ewen has given instructions to the Victoria Machinery Depôt for the construction of a steam tug for fishery purposes. The owner says it will outrun anything on the river when built.

Calico Ball To-Night.

The calico ball to be given under the auspices of the Saanich Agricultural Society will be held in the hall of that society this evening. The affair will without doubt be very enjoyable, as is always the case when our Saanich friends give an entertainment. Tickets, admitting lady and gentleman, $2; single lady, 50 cents. Mr. Baernstein's orchestra will furnish the music for the ball.

A Rich Nugget.

An Ottawa dispatch to the Montreal *Witness* says:—Two prospectors from the Cascade range, B. C., have arrived here with a nugget of almost pure gold weighing forty-two pounds. They had it tested until satisfied of its value, and then shipped it to Montreal. They refused $3,000 cash from a speculator here; are very reticent about where it was found, and came here principally to see about mining rights.

Police Court Notes.

Mr. Walls asked and secured a postponement of the charge against Wing Chung for malicious damage to property.

William Muller, charged with assaulting S. Schwartz, was fined $20 and costs.

Kate Marbel, charged with keeping a house of ill-fame, was fined $75, his honor remarking that he would send her to gaol if she appeared before him again.

W. Curtis, charged with deserting from the Caroline, was ordered on board.

A couple of Chinese were found guilty of selling liquor to Indians, and were sent up for one and two months respectively.

To be Taken Off.

It is with regret that residents living on the route of the Victoria Transfer Co.'s bus line learn that the busses will be taken off on Saturday night. The company deserve great credit for their endeavor to establish a regular system under trying circumstances, and although they were not so successful as was wished, their enterprising spirit was nevertheless appreciated by many. While those who patronized the bus regret exceedingly the action of the company, they should not forget the driver, Mr. Douglas, who, by his obliging and courteous manners, and his attention to his duties, made himself a valuable acquisition to the line.

A Missing Man.

Constable Carty, of Westminster, received a letter a few days ago from Mrs. M. A. Mortimer, of East Sommerville, Mass., relating to the whereabouts of her brother, John Johnston, who left Fournier, Ont., three years ago and has not been heard from since. He is supposed to have come to British Columbia. The missing man is about 36 years of age, rather under the average stature, fair complexion and hair and hazel eyes. If this should catch the eye of Mr. Johnston or anyone who can give information as to his whereabouts, a favor will be conferred by communicating with Mrs. Mortimer at the above address.

The Skeena Murder.

It is stated that the recent murder on the Upper Skeena was the result of the usual superstition about the Indian doctor. The latter had attended two sick children of the chief who were ill with sore throat. These children were between the Indian doctor and the chief-tainship on the death of the reigning chief. He boasted before their death that he would kill them, and afterwards that he had caused their death. According to the practice of the tribe that life must be taken for life, the father of the children, believing that they had been sent out of the world through the instrumentality of the Indian doctor, shot and killed him. An attempt has been made to secure him, but up to latest advices unsuccessfully.

F. H. Vannier Heard From.

A communication has been received at this office from Geo. H. Morkill, Sherbrooke, P. Q., in reference to the finding at Nanaimo of a bottle containing a farewell from F. H. Vannier to his wife and children. Mrs. Vannier saw the item in the Montreal *Star* and was much concerned about it, but receiving a letter from her husband of a later date was reassured of his safety. F. H. Vannier left Montreal in the early part of April and was heard from Seattle, W. T., on the 24th April, in which letter he said he was to leave in a few hours for Juneau, Alaska, where he arrived safe on the 3rd May last, his wife having heard from him. Mr. Morkill comes to the conclusion that the bottle must have been thrown overboard for a joke. If such was the case, the hoax was a cruel one.

Laying the Corner Stone.

On Friday, June 15th, at 10 o'clock a. m., the interesting ceremony of laying the corner stone of the magnificent exposition building and zoological gardens of the North Pacific Industrial Association will take place. This association, organized with a capital of $150,000, is now erecting a mammoth building in the city of Portland. Work on the structure will be pushed forward day and night, and the building will be ready for the first annual exposition early the coming fall. No expense will be spared to make this the grandest display of the industrial interests of the coast that has ever been attempted. Its comprehensive scope and the perfection of detail give evidence that no merely ordinary fair is in contemplation, and the names connected with the enterprise are sufficient assurance that it will be a complete success in every feature. The whole northwest should unite in a determination to make this truly representative of the vast interests of the region. It will be a wonderful aggregation.

Gus Williams.

The comedian Gus Williams, who opens a three night's engagement at The Victoria on Monday evening, presenting his two great comedies "Keppler's Fortunes" and "Oh! What a Night," has been receiving the greatest of praise from press and public on this coast. In speaking of "Keppler's Fortunes" the S. F. *Music and Drama* says: "Keppler's Fortunes," re-written and in a new form, serves to present Gus Williams and his company at the Alcazar in a pleasant vehicle for an evening's entertainment. Mr. Williams plays the whimsical and humorous Dutchman with exceeding cleverness and sings a new budget of songs in his own inimitable manner as well as playing a piano solo which, for execution or effect, would have made Liszt or Rubenstien tired. The Dutch butcher's efforts to be fashionable upon his sudden succession to a fortune are ludicrous, but at the same time points the moral that, after all, wealth and happiness are not always found in company. The introduction of the old "rounder" Dunc Nelson, at the grand party and the revival of old memories by the duet of "When We Ran with the Old Machine," is a touch of nature that finds a response in the hearts and hands of the audience, especially such of those as had of yore worn the shirt red.

Disbanded.

The officers of the B. C. B. G. A. having found it impossible to keep up an efficient band, owing to the lack of a certain number of good musicians who would take an interest in the artillery, have decided to dismiss their present band, and have made arrangements with the officers of "C" Battery to have the use of theirs whenever required.

The Southern Railway Company.

A meeting of the directors took place at Westminster on Monday last, in order to elect a new board. The result was as follows:—B. Douglas, president; J. Hendry, vice-president; H. Elliott, treasurer; T. J. Trapp, secretary. The remaining members of the board are Messrs. D. Drysdale, E. S. Scoullar, H. Hoy, A. Ewen and C. M. Beecher.

"Prof." Menzies.

A gentleman in the city is in receipt of a telegram from "Prof." Menzies, in which he requests that the valise he left here when he arrived here lately be delivered for him at the Colonial Hotel in the Royal City. He states he is quite well and will clear himself from all imputations. The telegram was from Blaine, W. T.—Vancouver *Herald*.

Patti Rosa.

Victoria's theater goers will be glad to learn that the Patti Rosa Company will play here on June 26th, 27th and 28th, in "Bob," "Tip," and "Love and Duty." Patti Rosa is perhaps the most successful young *soubrette* of the day and makes poor Fred. Marsden's brilliant pieces sparkle with her wit and grace. She cannot fail to prove a great attraction, especially as she is supported by a strong company.

Metlakahtla Industrial School.

It is the intention of the government to establish an industrial school at Metlakahtla, and it is possible the agent for that section will delay his return for the purpose of having the material for the buildings prepared here and shipped to that point. Some of the buildings already on the reserve will be utilized in connection with the industrial school. It is not as yet known what trades will be taught, but they will be those which will prove of most value to the Indians.

C. P. Land Grant Bonds.

The Montreal *Gazette's* London cable of the 6th inst. says: The letters of allotment and regret respecting the new Canadian Pacific Land Grant bonds were delivered to-day. The trustees appointed under the mortgage are Hon. Mr. Foster, Hon. Mr. Abbott and Richard Angus. The bonds are now at 4 premium. The *Canadian Gazette* believes that when the investing public realizes how secure the principal is they will consider the loan worth within 5 or 6 per cent. of direct Canadian government loans. The present premium put the price at nearly this level, but the stocks as yet are chiefly in the hands of market speculators.

A Fine Tug to be Built.

Hon. Robt. Dunsmuir has given instructions for the building of a new tug boat, to be constructed under the supervision of Mr. W. A. Russell, steamboat inspector. Her dimensions will be as follows:—Length over all, 154 feet, 8 inches; depth, 14 feet, 3 inches; moulded breadth, 25 feet, 10 inches. The tug will be provided with triple compound engines, 18, 28 and 49, by three feet stroke, and will indicate 700 horse-power. It is estimated that her speed will be thirteen knots or fifteen miles per hour. The vessel will be built at Chemainus and the boiler and engines at the Albion Iron Works. It is expected that she will be completed about Christmas. Mr. Russell states that the new tug will travel quicker and have a greater pulling power than any tug on the coast.

The Cantata of "Esther."

The Nanaimo Choral Society, whose production of the brilliant cantata of "Esther" at Nanaimo has attracted such attention, will appear at The Victoria tomorrow evening. As before stated, the members and their leader, Prof. Pferidner, were not a bit elated by the successful issue of their efforts, but have kept on practicing for the production in this city, which, it is said, will eclipse in point of grandeur the former production at Philharmonic Hall, as The Victoria offers facilities for scenic effect which it was an impossibility to obtain in the old hall. All those who will take part are well-known amateurs, and the object for which they have spared no pains, is worthy the support of Victorians, *viz.*, to augment the Nanaimo and Wellington relief funds. Seats can be had at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s stationery store.

A Dissipated Wife.

Says the Seattle *Post-Intelligencer*: Andrew Brooks yesterday began suit in the district court for a divorce from his wife Elizabeth. The parties were married in Victoria in 1869, and have since resided in Seattle. The only issue of the marriage is a daughter, Maggie, aged 15 years. The complainant alleges that his wife has been guilty of habitual drunkenness for more than three years, and that owing to her intemperate and improvident habits she is not a suitable person to have charge of a minor. The community property consists of lots 6 and 7, block 54, Terry's addition, valued at $6000, and $100 worth of household property. Mr. Brooks asks for the custody of the daughter and an equitable division of the community property, as well as to be released of the costs of the suit.

She Loved Another Man.

A Winnipeg paper says: Farther particulars in connection with the "missing woman" from Field, B. C., have come to light. An apparently happy couple ran a hotel at that station, and their place was patronized by a number of railroad men. The wife becoming lonesome away from society, etc., arranged to go East, and left home and an unsuspecting husband on the 25th of March last. The savings, which amounted to $1200, were intrusted to her, the husband desiring that they should be placed in safe keeping in a Winnipeg bank. Not hearing from his wife for nearly two weeks, the husband wrote to her folks in the East and received the startling reply that she had not arrived. Enough has since leaked out to justify the hotel-keeper in supposing that he has been the victim of a woman's deceitfulness.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

To-night at The Victoria, the concert by Madame Christin de La Mothe, assisted by Sir William Wiseman, Bart., and leading amateurs of this city, will be given before a large audience, as the number of seats already sold is a sufficient guarantee of that. A rehearsal was held in the theatre yesterday afternoon, when those who will take part practiced their solos under the direction of Madame de la Mothe, who was more than pleased at the results attained. The programme, which was published in yesterday's COLONIST, is one of the best ever arranged and embraces many brilliant solos. Miss Martha Campbell has kindly consented to act as accompanist and "C" Battery band, under the leadership of Mr. Agius, will play several popular selections during the evening.

THREW HIM OUT.

An Assault Case Ventilated in the Police Court—Some Ugly Facts.

An assault case came up in the police court yesterday morning, which brought to light some rather startling facts. On Pandora street lives an Hungarian Jewess named Dresdovitch or some other equally painful cognomen. Three years ago her husband departed from Victoria leaving behind his wife and three children, and during that interval has only returned two or three times—on the first occasion he lived at the house for a short time and then disappeared. On the last occasion, a couple of months ago he put up at the Clarence, but only remained a few days. It is understood he instituted proceedings for divorce in Salt Lake City, on the ground of infidelity on the part of his wife. The divorce was granted.

In the past three years the deserted and divorced wife has been a constant source of annoyance to the neighbors from the frequency of rows on her premises caused through men visiting there, and by the exercise on the part of the aforesaid Mme. Dresdovicth of a shrewish and vulgar tongue. Her children are ill-looked-after, and from the unhappy training they have received are not much of a consolation to their maternal authority. Through whipping and threats they have acquired the habit of crying and yelling in a frightful manner for hours at a time, much to the annoyance of the aforesaid neighbors.

Mme. Dresdovitch has been in the habit of renting rooms in her small habitation, in one of which lived a German named Wm. Muller, the defendant in the police court case yesterday. Samuel M. Swartz, the complainant in the case, is a young gentleman from San Francisco, registered at the Clarence. Instructed by M. Dresdovitch, he called on Tuesday forenoon at the residence of the divorced wife for the purpose of enquiring into the condition and disposition of the three children. While Mr. Swartz, who wore a silk hat and is altogether a very prepossessing young man, was conversing with Mme. Dresdovitch in the front room, the aforesaid Muller overheard them, and becoming jealous and fearing that he would be supplanted, he entered the room and into an altercation with the complainant, and ended by striking him over the head and firing him out of the door bareheaded, followed by the defendant and the woman. Eye-witnesses of the incident state that there was an exciting time, with children howling, dogs barking, and the German and other languages being thrown about in a violent manner. Mr. Swartz entered a complaint against Muller, who was fined $20 and costs by Judge Richards.

During the course of the examination Muller stated that he had been living with Mme. Dresdovitch and provided money for her and her family's sustenance. The woman called him a liar and averred before heaven that he had never lived in her house. She speaks at the rate of about 300 words to the minute, and it was with difficulty that the court could understand her, and it also need an air-brake to get her stopped when once she had started. The evidence all through was not of a savory character, and placed Mme. Dresdovitch and Mynheer Muller in a very unpleasant light indeed. Having had their actions published through the medium of the police court, it is trusted they will endeavor to lead a quieter if not a better life, as the police will likely keep an official eye upon their behavior.

ROCK CREEK MINES.

Progress of the Work—Lack of Roads—Other News.

Mr. C. F. Morris, of the Giant Powder Co., Cadboro' Bay, returned from a trip through the interior on Tuesday night. He visited the mines at Rock Creek and furnishes the following notes concerning developments at that point:—

The owners of the Douglas claim are bringing in machinery from Spokane for sinking, and if the property proves valuable will erect a mill in the fall. A shaft will be sunk 150 feet.

The Cariboo company have bought out the Amelia and will erect a mill very shortly.

There is very little doing at present in the camp, owing to the delay in the arrival of machinery, which has to be brought in from across the boundry line. Lumber is being whip-sawed out for the saw mill which is to be erected to supply the lumber for the flume of the Hydraulic company, at the mouth of Rock Creek. The miners state that if five miles of the road on Rock Creek were built by the government the claim owners would complete the remaining twelve miles to connect with the wagon road south of the forty-ninth parallel. This would be a great boom to the mines and would be of the greatest assistance in developing these very promising lodes.

Mr. Morris went in by way of Sicamous, through Spallumcheen to Vernon, Okanagon Mission and Penticton, and returned by way of Nicola Valley and Kamloops.

At Revelstoke there is great excitement over the Toad mountain mines. F. J. Hume will have his "catamaran" ready by the 1st of July, when it will ply between Revelstoke and Sproat's landing, 126 miles down the Columbia. The Toad Mountain mines are about 18 miles from the latter landing.

The crops through the interior are looking very healthy and a large yield is expected.

ROBBED BY CHINAMEN.

A Young Man Claims That He was Waylaid in Chinatown and Relieved of Valuables and Money.

Last night about 11:30 o'clock, a man considerably under the influence of liquor ran into the police station and rousing Officer Mitten, who was taking his last nap before going on duty at 1 o'clock, told him that he had been robbed in Chinatown. The officer in charge of the station took care of the man, while Mitten hurriedly dressed, but no particulars could be ascertained until he got into the open air again, when the man told Mitten that he was walking through Chinatown, when an almond-eyed individual stepped up to him and made a remark. The man said "Good-night, John," and was about to pass on when a number of Chinamen closed on him and catching him by the arm hurried him up the street. He felt their hands entering his pockets, but was powerless, and when they let him go, he found that two watches and all his money were gone. Officer Mitten blew his whistle at the corner of Government and Johnson streets and Special Constable Lindsay came up and took the case in hand, but had not succeeded in apprehending the robbers at an early hour this morning.

The young man, whose name is Neveless, is a waiter on the steamer R. P. Rithet, and he was locked up to await developments. He was very tight, which fact, added to the excitement, rendered him almost incapable of taking care of himself.

Ice Cream and Ice Cream Soda Water

To-day at the Chicago Candy Store.

Removal.

Messrs. Jno. Barnsley & Co. have removed next to L. Goodacre's market, Government street, where will be found the largest and best assorted stock of Guns, Ammunition and Fishing Tackle in the province. †

PERSONAL.

Miss Laura Adams has returned from San Francisco.

Ben. Stern, manager of the Patti Rosa Co., is at the Driard.

A. Ewen, Westminster, paid a flying visit to Victoria yesterday.

W. Gill, Inspector of Inland Revenue, left for Kamloops this morning.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau has gone to visit the Government Printing Bureau at Washington.

Charles Plumb, of the Chicago Paper Company, who is on a holiday trip, is staying at the Driard.

William Campbell, late stenographer to Lord Lansdowne, has been appointed to a similar position on the staff of Lord Stanley. He first served under Lord Dufferin, some sixteen years ago, and was subsequently taken under the shadow of Lord Lorne's wing, so to speak. Besides being an expert stenographer, Mr. Campbell possesses marked literary ability and cannot but prove a very useful member of His Excellency's staff.

H. M. Stramberg, M. A., has severed his connection with the Westminster High School. The loss to the Royal City is a very serious one, for Mr. Stramberg has few equals in this province either as a scholar or a teacher. The long line of distinguished young men whom he has sent out into the world, fully equipped for the battle of life, testifies to his painstaking services and his professional ability. It is, indeed, to be hoped that so useful a teacher as Mr. Stramberg will not be lost to the province.

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jun8-1m WM. HODGE.

The Perry Creek Gold Mining Company,
(LIMITED LIABILITY.)
June Assessment, Due July 6, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 7th June, 1888, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 6th July, 1888, to the Secretary of the company at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 9th of July, 1888, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 19th July, 1888, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
HENRY JACOBY, Secretary.
The Company's Office, Government St., Victoria. jun8-5t-1w

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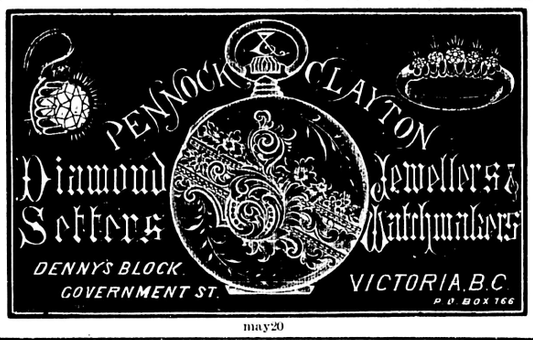

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ELECTION CARDS.

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

To the Electors of Victoria District:

GENTLEMEN,—
I withdraw as a Candidate for Legislative honors, in favor of MR. JAMES TOLMIE, the Government candidate, and hope that on him you will bestow your confidence and support.
Respectfully yours,
IRA WILSON.
Cadboro Bay, June 8th, 1888. jun3-2w

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria:

I respectfully announce myself as a Candidate for the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. R. F. John, and solicit your votes and influence to secure my return as a supporter of the present Government. I will at an early date visit you personally and explain my views on the chief questions of the day.

JAS. TOLMIE.

Dated, Cloverdale, June 4th, 1888.
jun5-d-w

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

TO THE ELECTORS:

Gentlemen:—Having received the unanimous nomination of the Convention of Electors held at South Saanich on Friday, the 8th inst., as a Candidate for the representation of the District in the Local Legislature, I have accepted the same, and respectfully ask your votes and influence.

J. T. McILMOYL.
Victoria District, June 9, 1888. je12-td-dw

COMMONS CANDIDATE.

We are authorized to state that Mr. DeCosmos is a Candidate to represent this constituency in the House of Commons, and will shortly issue an address to the Electors.
jun12

Public Meetings.

Messrs. McILMOYL and TOLMIE will address the Electors of Victoria West at the following places:

NORTH SAANICH INSTITUTE—Tuesday, 19th June
SCHOOL HOUSE, West Road—Thursday, 21st „
ROYAL OAK SCHOOL HOUSE—Saturday, 23rd „
BURNSIDE, . . . —Monday, 25th „
CEDAR HILL, . . . —Tuesday, 26th „
AG'L HALL, S. SAANICH, —Thursday, 28th „
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